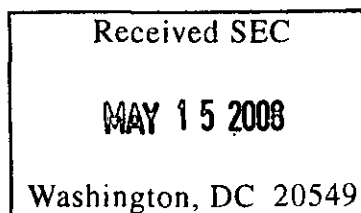


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Dear Mr. Johnson:

The New York Stock Exchange certifies approval for listing and registration under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, CIT Group Inc., 8.75% Non-Cumulative Perpetual Convertible Preferred Stock, Series C and requests immediate acceleration of registration. Adequate distribution assured. Form 8-A received on May 15, 2008. Tentative listing date – May 19, 2008.

Sincerely,

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